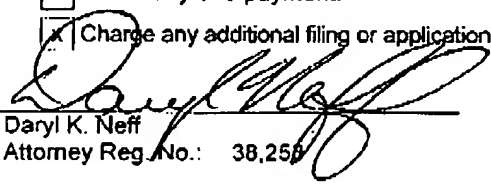
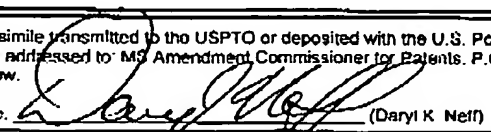


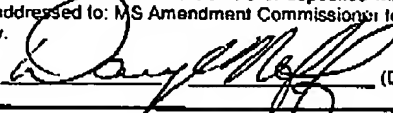
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Applicant(s): Donald W. Plass et al.				
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In response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2004, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for the Examiner's consideration.

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